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Macomb County
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July 20, 2006

Mr. Frank Benson 22506 Lakecrest St. Clair Shores, MI 48081

Dear Mr. Benson:

Thank you for calling my office regarding the the July 7 letter you received from me. Per your inquiry, your committee, CTE Frank Benson - #135715, may use the enclosed Campaign Finance Fee Payment Fax Sheet to pay by credit card \$500.00 to Macomb County Clerk to cover the late filing fee for the 2005 Annual Statement.

Although not a part of your inquiry, you should know that within a day or two my new web site will feature a list of those who owe fees. Committees whose fees are paid will be removed from this list. A check may also be delivered to my office between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Checks may be mailed, but will likely not be received before the list is posted to the Internet.

In addition, the following items need not be done at the same time, but should be done as soon as possible. All of these items may be filed by fax if that is more convenient for you:

1. File a response to the enclosed Error & Omission Notice. This was sent to your committee on February 7, 2005 regarding your committee's 2004 Annual Statement filed with our office on January 31, 2005. It appears an outstanding debt must be addressed. A copy of the notice and the relevant report pages are enclosed.

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Mount Clemens, MI 48043
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http://www.macombcountymi.gov/registerdeeds registerdeeds@macombcountymi.gov 2. File all past due campaign statements, which include:

2002 Annual Statement (covering 1/1/02 to 12/31/02) 2003 Annual Statement (covering 1/1/03 to 12/31/03) 2005 Annual Statement (covering 1/1/05 to 12/31/05).

NOTE: All reports must be filed even if there was no committee activity. If there was no activity, you would list the beginning and ending balance for each period. If the balance was zero, then put zero on the reports.

3. Enclosed you will find blank campaign statement forms which may be used to file your Annual Statements via fax or mail. Our fax number is 586-469-6927.

To request dissolution, the box by item #9e should be checked on the Cover Page of the 2005 Annual statement submitted. We will then determine if your committee is eligible for dissolution.

If you have any questions about this information, please feel free to contact Susan in my Elections Department at 586-469-5209.

Yours truly,

Carmella Sabaugh

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